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**EXECUTIVE ORDERS, PROCLAMATIONS OF  
GENERAL APPLICABILITY, AND STATEMENTS  
ISSUED BY THE GOVERNOR  
PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 41-1013(B)(3)**

The Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the full-text publication of all Executive Orders and Proclamations of General Applicability issued by the Governor. In addition, the *Register* shall include each statement filed by the Governor in granting a commutation, pardon or reprieve, or stay or suspension of execution where a sentence of death is imposed. With the exception of egregious errors, content (including spelling, grammar, and punctuation) of these orders has been reproduced as submitted.

**\* MEDICAL ASSISTANT WEEK \***

[M07-581]

**WHEREAS**, the health of all Americans depends upon educated minds and trained hands; and

**WHEREAS**, the practice of modern medicine at the exacting standards we now enjoy would be impossible without the clinical and administrative duties performed daily in the physician's office, clinic, laboratory or hospital by medical assistants; and

**WHEREAS**, these multi-skilled professionals help create a professional and comforting atmosphere for patients by offering them guidance and support; and

**WHEREAS**, through this dedication the medical assistants of the United States have made a vital contribution to the quality of health care; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janet Napolitano**, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 15 – 19, 2007 as

**\* MEDICAL ASSISTANT WEEK \***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twenty-sixth day of September in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-second.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* SUSAN G. KOMEN RACE FOR THE CURE \***

[M07-566]

**WHEREAS**, breast cancer is the second most common type of cancer in women, and nearly 180,000 women in the United States will be diagnosed with breast cancer this year; and

**WHEREAS**, The Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure series raises significant funds and awareness for the fight against breast cancer, celebrates breast cancer survivorship, and honors those who have lost their battle with the disease; and

**WHEREAS**, The Komen Phoenix Race for the Cure is one of the Valley of the Sun's most popular events and the largest series of 5K runs/fitness walks in the world; and

**WHEREAS**, citizens are able to participate in a one mile or 5K run/walk course, to help raise funds to benefit breast cancer research, education, screening and treatment programs; and

**WHEREAS**, since 1993 the Phoenix Affiliate for Susan G. Komen for the Cure has granted over \$11 million to breast can-

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cer treatment, education, prevention and outreach programs in Central and Northern Arizona and to breast cancer research; and

**WHEREAS**, October has been proclaimed as National Breast Cancer Awareness Month; and

**WHEREAS**, 2007 marks the 25th anniversary of the establishment of Susan G. Komen for the Cure, as well as the 15th anniversary of the Phoenix Susan G. Komen affiliate and the local run/walk event;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 14, 2007 as

**\* SUSAN G. KOMEN PHOENIX RACE FOR THE CURE DAY \***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

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**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* TOASTMASTERS WEEK \***

**WHEREAS**, the ability to speak in a clear and effective manner is a powerful and important skill helpful in virtually every endeavor and line of work; and

**WHEREAS**, by assisting in the development of essential communication skills, Toastmasters International performs a valuable service for its members and those who carry the message of opportunity, initiative, and good fellowship; and

**WHEREAS**, boasting more than six decades of outstanding achievement, Toastmasters has grown to 163 active clubs and 3,000 members throughout Arizona; and

**WHEREAS**, this remarkable expansion is a direct result of the enhanced knowledge and experience Toastmasters International provides its members and clients;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 15 - 21, 2007 as

**\* TOASTMASTERS WEEK \***

and encourage all citizens of Arizona to recognize the accomplishments and opportunities in communication and public speaking this outstanding organization makes possible for people everywhere.

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**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* UNITED NATIONS DAY \***

[M07-582]

**WHEREAS**, the United Nations was founded in 1945, and the anniversary of its founding is observed each year on October 24; and

**WHEREAS**, the central role of the United Nations is to promote peace and security, development and human rights around the world; and

**WHEREAS**, in September of 2000, 189 countries, including the United States, agreed on the Millennium Development Goals; and

**WHEREAS**, the sixth of the Millennium Development seeks to halt and begin to reverse the spread of HIV/AIDS, and the incidence of malaria and other major diseases by 2015; and

**WHEREAS**, the United States has been a leader in the global fight to prevent and treat these afflictions, and has demonstrated its commitment to global health by being the largest contributor to the Global Fund to fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria; and

**WHEREAS**, the United Nations and UN agencies are working to provide a coordinated, multilateral effort in both assessing the current problems of the spread of HIV/AIDS and the high incidence of malaria, tuberculosis and other major diseases; and

**WHEREAS**, the United Nations Association of the United States of America (UNA-USA), in cooperation with other organizations, has declared "Combating HIV/AIDS, Malaria and Other Diseases" as its theme for the 2007 United Nations Day commemorations;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona do hereby proclaim October 24, 2007 as**

**\* UNITED NATIONS DAY \***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twenty-sixth day of September in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-second.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* ARIZONA AGING IN PLACE WEEK \***

[M07-576]

**WHEREAS**, older Arizonans overwhelmingly prefer to remain in their own homes and communities as long as possible; and

**WHEREAS**, many older Arizonans are unaware of the community-based supports and services available to them; and

**WHEREAS**, Aging in Place Week encourages older Arizonans to become proactive in planning for their long-term health-care needs; and

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**WHEREAS**, Aging in Place Week promotes educational activities that highlight home and community-based services that assist Arizonans to remain living independently; and

**WHEREAS**, Aging in Place Week seeks to build unified coalitions between building professionals across the state in order to assist homeowners as they assess their long term housing needs; and

**WHEREAS**, it is of vital importance that seniors, retirees, and baby boomers become proactive in planning for their future;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 1-7, 2007 as

**\* ARIZONA AGING IN PLACE WEEK \***

in Arizona and encourage all Arizonans and their families to spend some time planning for their future

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this first day of October in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-second.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* ARIZONA HEALTH CARE COST CONTAINMENT SYSTEM RECOGNITION DAY \***

[M07-574]

**WHEREAS**, the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System, known as AHCCCS, provides healthcare services to more than one million Arizonans; and

**WHEREAS**, AHCCCS cares for Arizona's most vulnerable populations; those who are elderly, low income and disabled; and

**WHEREAS**, AHCCCS is a National Medicaid leader for its innovation using a managed care system to effectively ensure the highest quality of care for patients and families and providing that care in cost effective ways for our State;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 29, 2007 as

**\* ARIZONA HEALTH CARE COST CONTAINMENT SYSTEM RECOGNITION DAY \***

in celebration of 25 years of service to Arizona.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this first day of October in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-second.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**

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**\* INFECTION PREVENTION WEEK \***

[M07-572]

**WHEREAS**, protecting the health of Americans includes providing every citizen with access to safe and effective health-care; and

**WHEREAS**, Infection Prevention and Control Professionals are devoted to patient and healthcare worker safety and are committed to reducing the risk and occurrence of healthcare-associated infections; and

**WHEREAS**, the prevention of healthcare-associated infections is instrumental in achieving this goal; and

**WHEREAS**, every year, more than 800 million Americans visit their physicians and over 33 million are admitted to hospitals, with many undergoing medical procedures that have a risk of infectious complications; and

**WHEREAS**, healthcare-associated infections increase morbidity and mortality and add a significant financial burden to the cost of healthcare; and

**WHEREAS**, The Association for Professionals in Infection Control and Epidemiology (APIC), representing more than 11,000 Infection Prevention and Control Professionals, sponsors International Prevention Week, with this year's theme being "International Infection Prevention Week: It's In Your Hands";

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 14 - 20, 2007 as

**\* INFECTION PREVENTION WEEK \***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this first day of October in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-second.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* NATIVE AMERICAN RECOGNITION DAYS \***

[M07-573]

**WHEREAS**, Native Americans were the original inhabitants of what is now Arizona as evidenced in the Northwest Ordinance of 1787 (the Act of August 7, 1787) and the Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo signed on February 2, 1848; and

**WHEREAS**, Native Americans hold a special reverence for the land and the environment they inhabit, which has enhanced their understanding and appreciation of nature; and

**WHEREAS**, Native American cultures, traditions, achievements, languages, religion, and heritage form a distinctive and important role in the history of the City of Phoenix, State of Arizona, the Southwest and the government of the United States; and

**WHEREAS**, the events beginning October 5, 2007 through November 17, 2007 shall provide an opportunity for Arizonans to recognize the important contributions Native Americans continue to make to our society; and

**WHEREAS**, good faith should always be observed toward Arizona Native American citizens, their land and property, and their rights and liberty;

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**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 5 – November 17, 2007 as

**\* NATIVE AMERICAN RECOGNITION DAYS SILVER ANNIVERSARY \***

in Phoenix, Arizona.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this first day of October in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-second.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* PANCREATIC CANCER AWARENESS MONTH \***

[M07-577]

**WHEREAS**, November 2007 will be observed in the State of Arizona as Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month to create awareness of pancreatic cancer, the fourth leading cause of cancer death in the United States; and

**WHEREAS**, over 37,170 people will be diagnosed with pancreatic cancer this year in the United States and 33,370 will die from the disease. The mortality rate for pancreatic cancer is the highest of all cancers; and

**WHEREAS**, there is no cure for pancreatic cancer and there have been no significant improvements in early detection, treatment methods, or survival rates in the last 25 years. When symptoms of pancreatic cancer present themselves, it is usually too late for an optimistic prognosis. Seventy-five percent of pancreatic cancer patients die within the first year of their diagnosis and ninety-five percent of pancreatic cancer patients die within the first five years; and

**WHEREAS**, last year an estimated \$74.2 million dollars of the National Cancer Institute's (NCI) cancer research investment was spent on pancreatic cancer research. This is just 1.5% of the NCI's \$4.74 billion dollar cancer research budget for 2006 – the lowest amount of any leading cancer; and

**WHEREAS**, the Pancreatic Cancer Action Network (PanCAN) is a national patient advocacy organization that serves the pancreatic cancer community in Arizona and nationwide by focusing its efforts on public policy, research funding, patient services, and public awareness and education related to developing effective treatments and a cure for pancreatic cancer; and

**WHEREAS**, the Pancreatic Cancer Action Network (PanCAN) and its affiliates in Arizona support those patients currently battling pancreatic cancer and honor those who have lost their lives to the disease; and

**WHEREAS**, the Pancreatic Cancer Action Network (PanCAN) and its affiliates in Arizona will promote pancreatic cancer awareness during the month of November, and are committed to nothing less than a cure;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim November 2007 as

**\* PANCREATIC CANCER AWARENESS MONTH \***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

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**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* TUCSON CHAPTER MOAA RECOGNITION DAY \***

[M07-575]

**WHEREAS**, in 1929 the Military Officers Association of America (formerly The Retired Officers Association) was founded and became devoted to assisting the nation's military officers and their families, the Association became the Nation's largest military officers organization; and

**WHEREAS**, the Tucson Chapter is committed to promoting youth programs, awarding college scholarships, as well as Junior and Senior ROTC achievement awards and many volunteer hours in aiding those military personnel who are ill or have been injured. In addition they have donated more than \$5,000 in personal care items to the Nation's military troops in Iraq and Afghanistan; and

**WHEREAS**, the Tucson Chapter of MOAA is celebrating their 50th anniversary;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 27, 2007 as

**\* TUCSON CHAPTER MOAA RECOGNITION DAY \***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

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**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* REFLEX SYMPATHETIC DYSTROPHY SYNDROME AWARENESS MONTH \***

[M07-587]

**WHEREAS**, Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy Syndrome (RSDS/RSD), a progressive multi-symptom, multi-system, neurological disorder, is a debilitating disease simultaneously involving nerves, muscles, blood vessels, skin, bones and tissue; and

**WHEREAS**, RSDS/RSD attacks the sympathetic nervous system, causing it to become confused, leading to a variety of symptoms that may result in devastating consequences and can develop after an injury, minor or major, and generally occurs in a limb; and

**WHEREAS**, if left untreated, or mistreated, RSDS/RSD begins to damage the surrounding tissues and can spread to other areas of the body and ultimately lead to total disability; and

**WHEREAS**, early diagnosis is crucial and correct aggressive treatment by qualified medical professionals can lead to a positive result before RSDS/RSD progresses and treatment becomes increasingly difficult; and

**WHEREAS**, although an estimated five to seven million people in the United States are afflicted with RSDS/RSD, it is not well known by the public or many medical professionals; and

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**WHEREAS**, RSDS/RSD knows no age limit and can cause severe personal disruptions to the lives of both the victims and their families;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona do hereby proclaim November 2007 as

**\* REFLEX SYMPATHETIC DYSTROPHY SYNDROME AWARENESS MONTH \***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this second day of October in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-second.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* THEATRE IN OUR SCHOOLS MONTH \***

[M07-586]

**WHEREAS**, theatre is an important part of the human experience and a vital part of the cultural life of any community; and

**WHEREAS**, theatre and drama open the doors of creativity and invite young people to view an expanded world of ideas; and

**WHEREAS**, theatre has the ability to demonstrate valuable lessons in humanity and portrays universal concepts and struggles such as poverty, prejudice, isolation, honor, and love; and

**WHEREAS**, teachers can offer classroom variety through creative drama and role playing projects for their students, helping children gain confidence and improve self-esteem when confronted with dramatized stories and experiences; and

**WHEREAS**, ninety percent of patrons who attend the theatre regularly, first saw plays as children;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim November 2007 as

**\* THEATRE IN OUR SCHOOLS MONTH \***

and encourage all our citizens to make everyday a celebration of theatre as an important part of the human experience.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

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**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**



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**\* MEMORY SCREENING DAY \***

[M07-595]

**WHEREAS**, November is National Alzheimer's Disease Awareness Month and November 13, 2007 is National Memory Screening Day; and

**WHEREAS**, the Alzheimer's Research and Prevention Foundation, a nonprofit organization, is dedicated to conducting research, and providing services and education to help prevent memory loss; and

**WHEREAS**, countless people in Arizona and millions of people in America are afflicted with memory loss and without intervention the numbers will continue to dramatically increase; and

**WHEREAS**, early memory screening is a valuable tool for healthy aging and should be available to anyone who wants or needs it; and

**WHEREAS**, the Alzheimer's Prevention Foundation International in partnership with our Family services and Tucson Jewish Community Center, will provide free memory screenings, education on memory loss prevention, and information about community resources at the 4th Annual Tucson Memory Screening Day;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona do hereby proclaim November 13, 2007 as

**\* MEMORY SCREENING DAY \***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this third day of October in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-second.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* SALT RIVER FINANCIAL SERVICES DAY \***

[M07-589]

**WHEREAS**, the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community is committed to promoting economic self-reliance for that Community; and

**WHEREAS**, over the years, the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community (SRPMIC) has investigated ways to leverage new and more adaptable financial options for Community members; and

**WHEREAS**, the Community determined to create and fully fund for five years a new non-profit enterprise, Salt River Financial Services, that exclusively serves Community members; and

**WHEREAS**, Salt River Financial Services partners with banking organizations throughout the Valley and the U.S. to leverage the Community's investment by providing a wide-range of financial products and services for the Community and its members; and

**WHEREAS**, Salt River Financial Services provides opportunities for members of the Community to buy or improve their homes, start or expand their businesses, receive financial education and coaching, credit counseling, technical support and other programs and services; and

**WHEREAS**, Salt River Financial Services is unique among Arizona tribes because it is the only CDFI in Arizona Indian Country to assemble all its financial services under one umbrella institution to better serve Community members;

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**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim the day of October 13, 2007 as

**\* SALT RIVER FINANCIAL SERVICES DAY \***

to honor the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community and the Grand Opening of its new non-profit enterprise, Salt River Financial Services.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this third day of October in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-second.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* ARIZONA FAMILY WEEK \***

[M07-597]

**WHEREAS**, Arizona recognizes that strong families are at the center of strong communities and that everyone has a role to play in making families successful, including neighborhood organizations, businesses, nonprofit organizations, policymakers, and of course, the families themselves; and

**WHEREAS**, during Thanksgiving week we should all take time to honor the importance of families, and recognize the special connections that support and strengthen families year round; and

**WHEREAS**, with the assistance and resources of agencies and organizations such as the Alliance for Children and Families and its local member agencies, including Family Service Agency of Phoenix, we can help families of all shapes and sizes can create a better future for all of Arizona;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim November 17 - 25 2007 as

**\* ARIZONA FAMILY WEEK \***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this fourth day of October in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-second.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* MAKE A DIFFERENCE DAY \***

[M07-596]

**WHEREAS**, participating in a National day when Arizonans volunteer together, will help their understanding, shape atti-

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tudes, and call us to more positive constructive ways of living together; and

**WHEREAS**, connecting with others and working together through volunteer service can bridge the differences that separate people and help solve serious social problems; and

**WHEREAS**, Arizonans, have a tradition of philanthropy and volunteerism and volunteer service is an investment in the future we all must share; and

**WHEREAS**, millions of self-sacrificing individuals touched and enhanced the lives of millions on the fourteenth annual day of doing good by giving where there was a need, rebuilding what had been torn down, teaching where there was a desire to learn and inspiring those who had lost hope;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona do hereby proclaim October 27, 2007 as

**\* MAKE A DIFFERENCE DAY \***

in the State of Arizona, and urge my fellow citizens to observe this day by connecting with friends, fellow employees and relatives and with religious, school and civic groups to engage in projects benefiting their community.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this fourth day of October in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-second.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* P-47 FIGHTER PILOTS RECOGNITION WEEK \***

[M07-599]

**WHEREAS**, the P-47 Fighter Pilots served their Country with courage, distinction and devotion to duty in every combat theater of operation during WWII; and

**WHEREAS**, America and the cause of Freedom were well served by those who flew the famous Thunderbolt; and

**WHEREAS**, the P-47 was the premier Fighter Aircraft in the course of WWII with more victories in aerial combat than any other Fighter, and was renowned for its unparalleled destruction of enemy materiel and transportation through aerial interdiction; and

**WHEREAS**, all Americans, and the citizens of so many nations, owe their Liberty today to these Eagles of the Sky;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 29 – November 1 2007 as

**\* P-47 FIGHTER PILOTS RECOGNITION WEEK \***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

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**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* VETERANS DAY 2007 \***

[M07-600]

**WHEREAS**, on Veterans Day we recognize the men and women of our armed forces who have valiantly defended the values of liberty, opportunity, and justice for all by answering the call of duty and risking their lives to protect their fellow citizens; and

**WHEREAS**, Arizona is home to over half a million military veterans who have helped to shape the American character by giving us an extraordinary legacy of patriotism and honor, and representing the highest form of citizenship; and

**WHEREAS**, all citizens of the state of Arizona are indebted to veterans for their sacrifices and recognize that the interest of veterans must be protected and heard at the highest levels of government; and

**WHEREAS**, the unique perspective of veterans can benefit decisions that affect the citizens of the State of Arizona and can help educate and inspire a new generation of Americans;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim November 11, 2007 as

**\* VETERANS DAY 2007 \***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this fourth day of October in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-second.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* AMERICAN GUILD OF ORGANISTS WEEK \***

[M07-603]

**WHEREAS**, the Southern Arizona Chapter of the American Guild of Organists is hosting the American Guild of Organists Region IX Mid-Winter Conclave, from the twentieth to twenty-fourth of January 2008; and

**WHEREAS**, the American Guild of Organists (AGO) is the national professional association serving the organ and choral music fields (approximately 20,000 members in 348 chapters throughout the United States, and in Korea, Sydney and Singapore; and

**WHEREAS**, the Guild was founded in 1896 as both an educational and service organization, seeking to encourage excellence in the performance of organ and choral music; to promote understanding and appreciation of all aspects of organ and choral music; to provide a forum for mutual support, inspiration, education, and certification of Guild members; and

**WHEREAS**, the Guild sponsors competitions in organ performance and improvisation and in organ and choral composition; sponsors Pipe Organ Encounters (POEs); hosts 9 regional conventions every other year and one national convention on alternating years so that members can share their experience and expertise; publishes The American Organist magazine, as well as books, pamphlets, CDs, DVDs, audio cassettes and other learning resources for all levels of interest; and

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**WHEREAS**, the Guild offers support in the areas of members' employment relationships and other professional issues;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim January 20-24, 2008 as

**\* AMERICAN GUILD OF ORGANISTS WEEK \***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this fifth day of October in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-second.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* CHIROPRACTIC MONTH \***

[M07-602]

**WHEREAS**, a good night's sleep is an essential part of a healthy lifestyle; and

**WHEREAS**, studies have found that the majority of Americans are chronically sleep deprived even though most agree that sleep is as important to their health as nutrition and exercise; and

**WHEREAS**, sleep deprivation and sleep disorders are estimated to cost Americans over \$100 billion annually in lost productivity, medical expenses, sick leave, and property damage caused by auto and other accidents; and

**WHEREAS**, public awareness of good sleep habits is essential to address this growing National concern; and

**WHEREAS**, Doctors of Chiropractic can counsel their patients on how to create a comfortable sleep environment by choosing the correct mattress and pillow. In addition, chiropractors can treat spinal problems that interfere with a restful night's sleep as well as offer proactive advice on exercise, stress reduction and nutrition; and

**WHEREAS**, Doctors of Chiropractic are preventative care providers who focus on the health of the whole person and have particular expertise in the prevention and care of musculoskeletal injuries; and

**WHEREAS**, National Chiropractic Month serves as a reminder to all of our State's citizens about the importance of making good health decisions;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 2007 as

**\* CHIROPRACTIC MONTH \***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this fifth day of October in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-second.

**ATTEST:**

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**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* VETERANS OF OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM \***  
**AND**  
**\* OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM \***

[M07-594]

**WHEREAS**, the Veteran's Recognition Day Committee formed in 1982 to remember those veterans from the great state of Arizona and those veterans currently residing in this great state; and

**WHEREAS**, it was determined that this recognition would occur as part of the Arizona State Fair; and

**WHEREAS**, the active and reserve components of the United States Army, Marine Corps, Navy, Air Force, Coast Guard and the Arizona Army and Air National Guards have been involved in this conflict since its inception; and

**WHEREAS**, we shall forget neither those who have been injured or lost their lives in this conflict, nor those who must now assimilate into the democratic lifestyle that they have fought to bring to others; and

**WHEREAS**, in respect and recognition of these courageous men and women, all veterans of the U.S. Military Services, state and local government officials, educators, students, historians, and all patriotic citizens of this great state are encouraged to observe Veteran's Recognition Day by attending ceremonies and activities held at the Arizona State Fair;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 21, 2007 as

**\* VETERANS OF OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM \***  
**AND**  
**\* OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM VETERANS RECOGNITION DAY \***

to honor ALL veterans of Operation Enduring Freedom and Operation Iraqi Freedom.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this fifth day of October in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-second.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* DETECTIVE JACK BALLENTINE DAY \***

[M07-598]

**WHEREAS**, Detective Jack Ballentine #3495 joined the Phoenix Police Department in 1978 and has served with honor, working a variety of assignments that included uniformed positions in Patrol and Walking Beat. Detective Ballentine also did under cover operations in the Crime Prevention Unit and Special Projects on a Federally Funded Sting Operation, both under cover and plain clothes in the Organized Crime Bureau, where Detective Ballentine worked on: Motorcycle and Prison gangs, Dignitary Protection, Political Corruption, and Murder for Hire. In Detective Ballentine's Murder for Hire investigations, he carried a 100% conviction rate; and

**WHEREAS**, Detective Ballentine's last assignment in the Violent Crimes Bureau, Homicide Unit, where he handled numerous high profile murder cases and officer involved shooting cases including: being the lead investigator on a Federal Task Force that focused on the Mexican Mafia, and being the lead investigator on Phoenix Police Officer David Uribe's Homicide; and

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**WHEREAS**, Detective Ballentine has also established himself in the academic community as the developer and lead instructor for the Rio Salado Criminal Investigations Program, which is used by police departments throughout the State of Arizona to certify criminal investigation detectives; and

**WHEREAS**, Detective Ballentine has been recognized with several commendations including: Phoenix Police Department Officer of the Year – 1982, Phoenix Police Department Medal of Merit – 1991, Outstanding Public service Award from the Underwriters of America – 1992, International Outstanding Investigator of the Year – 1994, American Legion Luke Greenway Award for Police Officer of the Year – 1997, Parents of Murdered Children Empty Shoes Award – 2005, Scottsdale Rotary Outstanding Public Service Award – 2006, Governor's Award for Police Officer of the Year – 2006, and two time winner of the Phoenix Police Department Distinguished Service Award; and

**WHEREAS**, Detective Ballentine has earned the admiration and respect of all those he has worked with, including his wife, Patti and his two sons, Geoff and Cody;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 28, 2007 as

**\* DETECTIVE JACK BALLENTINE DAY \***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this sixth day of October in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-second.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**